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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 4012.0373-02000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Robert W. Esmond et al.) Group Art Unit: 1618
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Application No.: 10/669,217) Examiner: Vickie Y. Kim
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Filed: September 23, 2003) Confirmation No.: 2163
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For: METHOD FOR TREATING OR)
PREVENTING ALZHEIMER'S)
DISEASE)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Applicants' undersigned representative now provides a statement of the substance of the interview she had with Examiner Kim on March 3, 2005, pursuant to § 713.04 of the MPEP.

Applicants' undersigned representative and Examiner Kim discussed amendments to the claims and the status of two IDS Form 1449 documents that had not yet been returned.

Applicants filed a Request for Continuing Examination (RCE) on May 10, 2005.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this statement and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: May 31, 2005

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